

STATE OF TASMANIA
MONTHLY STATISTICS - MAY-JUNE, 1941.

RAILWAYS

		1940	1941	1941	1941
		May.	March.	April.	May.
Gross Revenue	£	42,917	53,815	54,796	54,135
Working Costs, excl. Interest	£	48,979	54,966	57,211	60,845
Train Miles run (inc. Rail Motor)	No.	187,351	186,961	189,269	187,680
Passenger Journeys	"	193,482	276,805	235,950	196,313
Goods and Live Stock	Tons	57,221	88,679	80,300	98,762

<u>ELECTRIC POWER</u> - Units generated by		1940	1941	1941
		June.	May.	June.
Hydro-Electric Department		47,592,900	56,990,100	54,719,700
Mt. Lyell Mining & Railway Co.)				
Launceston City Council)				
Pioneer Tin Mining Co.)				
Small, Plants, estimated)		6,255,149	4,805,808	5,638,145
Total Units		53,848,049	61,795,908	60,357,845
Units supplied to Hobart Metropolitan area:		31,620,100	32,783,100	31,972,000
" " " Launceston & Suburbs:		2,935,498	3,134,643	3,177,089

EMPLOYMENT - Private.

	1940	1941	1941	1941
	June.	April.	May.	June.
50 Factories	9,791	10,064	10,235	10,548
14 Retail, etc.	1,017	1,004	1,016	1,024
10 Miscellaneous, incl. Banks, Insurance, Motor Oils, Private Railways, etc.	1,060	1,005	1,005	1,021
	11,868	12,073	12,253	12,593

REAL ESTATE STATISTICS.

	1940	1941	1941	1941
	June.	April.	May.	June.
Real Property Act.				
Value of Land Transfers	104,396	135,256	112,182	120,399
" " Mortgages registered	72,095	64,608	71,413	64,591
" " " discharged	51,833	48,159	89,968	53,770
" " " partially discharged	4,935	62	1,072	965
Registration under Deeds Act.				
Value of Conveyances	72,453	121,527	94,080	71,441
" " Mortgages	41,399	52,289	59,400	42,046
" " Reconveyances	42,657	29,189	54,804	20,652

FINANCE.

June 1940 and 1941.

Consolidated Revenue Fund.

	Receipts.		Payments.	
	June.	Year.	June	Year.
1940	1941	1939-40	1940-41	1939-40
£455,021	£617,925	£3,055,310	£2,921,576	£413,244
				£276,753
				£3,052,909
				£3,103,207
Excess of Payments over Receipts for 12 months			1940-41	:
" " "	" " "	" " "	1939-40	:
				£181,631
				£2,401

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS.

	1940	1941	1941
	June.	May.	June.
Commonwealth Savings Bank -	2,297,109	2,358,134	2,423,313
Trustee Savings Banks - Hobart, L'ton.	6,220,253	6,527,371	6,518,035
	8,517,362	8,885,505	8,941,348

BANK CLEARINGS

Hobart	3,493,764	3,380,403	2,886,399
Launceston	1,345,865	1,331,880	1,443,575

BUTTER PRODUCTION (Factory)

	1940	1941	1941	1941
	June.	March.	April.	June.
Butter lb.	132,757	473,033	311,962	200,429
				154,043

MOTOR REGISTRATIONS (Exclusive of Commonwealth-Owned Motor Vehicles) - June, 1941
 (of Civil and Defence Services.)

	Lorries, &c.	Utilities.	Motor Cycles.	Cars & Other Vehicles.
No. on Register at 1.6.41.	3,157	2,297	3,233	17,560
Lapsed Registrations	228	157	197	1,064
	2,929	2,140	3,036	16,496

Registrations - June, 1941:

New Vehicles	20	3	4	19
Used Vehicles	191	175	139	822

No. on Register end June, 1941:	3,140	2,318	3,179	17,337
" " " " 1940:	5,235	(a)	3,351	17,598

(a) Included with Lorries.

COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX.

	<u>Net Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods.</u>	<u>Net Taxable Sales.</u>	<u>Sales Tax Collected.</u>
1940	£	£	£
June	751,668	181,069	16,689
1941			
April	762,683	286,634	26,492
May	1,040,655	329,336	31,320
June	830,629	287,777	32,970
12 months 1940-41:	10,078,805	3,049,453	294,847
12 months 1939-40:	8,979,620	2,583,296	180,044

RETAIL PRICE INDEX NUMBERS.

"C" Series - "All Items"

	1940		1941		1941	
	2nd. Quarter.	1st. Quarter.	2nd. Quarter.	1st. Quarter.	2nd. Quarter.	
Hobart	938	982	994			
Launceston	921	963	973			
Burnie	907	956	971			
Devonport	886	935	953			
Queenstown	929	976	991			
Weighted average 5 Towns Tasmania	929	973	985			
" " 4 Country Towns	917	960	972			

BUILDING PERMITS - July 1941 and 1940.

	New Buildings for Habitation.		New Buildings for Other Purposes.		Alterations & Additions.		Totals.	
	Permits No.	Contract Price. £	Permits No.	Contract Price. £	Permits No.	Contract Price. £	Permits No.	Contract Price. £
	Month			£		£		£
1941	35	38,927	1	456	21	5,478	57	44,861
1940								
July	19	20,244	2	14,000(a)	16	1,142	37	35,386

(a) Government Contract - One £12,000.

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